## House Resolution 112 - Introduced

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- 1 A Resolution supporting the assignment of the USS
- 2 Iowa as a museum at the former Mare Island Naval
- 3 Shipyard.
- 4 WHEREAS, BB-61, the USS Iowa, was named for our
- 5 bountiful state and is the namesake for the most
- 6 powerful class of warships ever made; and
- 7 WHEREAS, Navy members recruited from Iowa have
- 8 received preference for assignment to service on board
- 9 the USS Iowa through most of its service life; and
- 10 WHEREAS, the USS Iowa would remain a continuing
- 11 marketing display for the talented and well-educated
- 12 workforce in the State of Iowa throughout a period of
- 13 museum duty; and
- 14 WHEREAS, there is a proposal to assign the USS Iowa
- 15 to museum duty at the former Mare Island Naval Shipyard
- 16 in the Bay area of California; NOW THEREFORE,
- 17 BE IT RESOLVED BY THE HOUSE OF REPRESENTATIVES, That
- 18 the House of Representatives supports the assignment
- 19 of the USS Iowa as a museum at the former Mare Island
- 20 Naval Shipyard, and requests the members of Iowa's
- 21 congressional delegation, and the representatives and
- 22 senators of the 83rd Iowa General Assembly to show
- 23 support by raising funds and by supporting legislation
- 24 to further this assignment and the funding necessary to
- 25 support this project.